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AMENDMENT AND OFFICIAL RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 14, 2005, prior to consideration on the merits, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments and to consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 7 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 14 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including an amended drawing figure and two references is attached following page 19 of this paper.